

STATE OF ALABAMA
FRANKLIN COUNTY

CITY OF RED BAY

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
AUGUST 20, 2001

The City Council of Red Bay met in a regular meeting August 20, 2001, at 7:00 p.m.

Present and presiding was Mayor Tommy G. Nelson and Council Members present: Peggy Cox, Johnny Cleveland, Jimmy Mayfield, Lowell Gober, and Eucellis Underwood.

Shirley J. Cody, City Clerk, was present and recording.

Gregory Gober, grandson of Council Member Lowell Gober, led the Invocation.

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Others present were Police Chief "Reb" Boatwright, City Inspector Bob Hardin, Fire Chief Bud Strickland, L. T. Gober, Bonnie Gober, and Gregory Gober.

"Reb" Boatwright gave a up-date on Drug Awareness Fun Day held recently. Approximately 300 were in attendance. Reb read a letter from Agent Clarence M. Ergle, ABC Enforcement of the Alabama Alcoholic Beverage Control Board commending Officer Janna Jackson for her dedication and hard work to undercover a drug operation in Franklin County.

Johnny Cleveland made a motion to approve a request of \$1,000.00 donation to ARC Sara Dinsmore Center, seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

Lowell Gober made a motion to approve a request for a road block on Saturday, August 25th, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Donations will go to Tryson Wilemon who has been sick for a long time. The motion was seconded by Eucellis Underwood. Unanimously passed.

Peggy Cox made a motion to buy a football ad in the Red Bay News for \$50.00 with Water

and Gas Board paying one-half of cost, seconded by Eucellis Underwood. Unanimously passed.

The following names were drawn for drug testing:

1. J. L. Barrett (Vac)
Jerry Pendergraph - Alternate
2. Eddie Chandler
Steven Moore - Alternate

Jimmy Mayfield made a motion to approve a loan at Community Spirit Bank for \$7500.00 to purchase a 2360 John Deere and for the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the proper papers, seconded by Lowell Gober. All voting FOR except Peggy Cox and she ABSTAINED.

Presently the cost to maintain scales at landfill ti \$325.00 quarterly to All Weight Scales, Inc.

Peggy Cox made a motion to change to Birmingham-Toledo, Inc., 1707 B Central Parkway SW, Decatur, Al 35601 to maintain the scales at the landfill for \$150.00 quarterly, seconded by Johnny Cleveland. Unanimously passed.

Johnny Cleveland made a motion to go into "Executive Session" because of character or good name of a person.

No action was taken in Executive Session.

Lowell Gober made a motion to go into regular meeting, seconded by Jimmy Mayfield. Unanimously passed.

Upon the discussion in the Executive Session without action taken the recommendation of Fire Chief Bud Strickland the board put Mut Harrison and his crew back on the volunteer fire department to help fight fires in the day time. Also asking Bud to evaluate what he has got. We need turn out gear in the daytime. We eventually will be able to buy but work with us on this matter.

Lowell Gober made a motion to hire Mut Harrison and his crew, seconded by Johnny Cleveland. Unanimously passed.

Jimmy Mayfield made a motion to pay due bills, seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

Peggy Cox made a motion to approve minutes of August 6, 2001, seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

Eucellis Underwood made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

Tommy G. Nelson, Mayor

Shirley J. Cody, City Clerk